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EXHIBIT 2 - CLEAN VERSION OF SPECIFICATION REPLACEMENT PARAGRAPHS

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[00149] Processing then moves to step 152 which initiates a loop for every nesting relationship returned in the recordset selected in step 148. Processing then moves to decision block 154 which determines whether the ratio of elements in the particular nesting relationship is a 1-to-1 or a 1-to-n relationship. If the decision block 154 determines that the ratio is 1-to-1, processing moves to step 156 in which a foreign key is inserted in the parent table of the relationship. A proposed SQL statement to accomplish this task is shown in note 158 associated with step 156 in Fig. 8. If the decision block 154 determines that the ratio is 1-to-n, processing moves to step 160 in which a foreign key is inserted into the child table in the relationship. A proposed SQL statement to accomplish this task is shown in note 162 associated with step 160 in Fig. 8. In either case, processing then moves to re-connector 164 and then to decision block 166 which determines whether additional nesting relationships need to be processed. If so, processing returns to step 152. If not, processing ends.

[00183] The following data dictionary representative of the table schema 22 is thereby generated in accordance with this inventive method:

Table Name	Required Columns	Data Columns	Relationship Columns
PCDATA	<u>iid</u> , order	value	
book	iid, order	booktitle	G1_iid
booktitle	iid, order	PCDATA_value	
article	iid, order	title	contactauthor_iid
title	iid, order	PCDATA_value	
contactauthor	iid, order		
monograph	iid, order	title	author_iid, editor_iid
editor	iid, order	name	
author	iid, order	id,	parent_G1_iid
		name_firstname,	
		name_lastname	
name	iid, order	firstname,	
		lastname	
firstname	iid, order	PCDATA_value	
lastname	iid, order	PCDATA_value	
affiliation	iid, order		
G1	iid		editor_iid
G2	iid		parent_article_iid,

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G3	iid		author_iid, affiliation_iid parent-editor_iid,
			book_iid, monograph_iid
AG	iid	PCTDATA_value, booktitle, title, firstname, lastname, name_firstname, name_lastname	parent_affiliation_iid, book_iid, article_iid, contactauthors_iid, monograph_iid, editor_iid, author_iid, affiliation_iid
contactauthors .authorIDs	idd	value	PARENT_contactauthors_idd

[00200] The following tables provide the pattern-mapping table 36 with all of the patterns from the metadata tables 34 generated according to the DTD 18 provided in Example 1 and discussed throughout. By way of clarification, different types of patterns have been separated by a solid line in the following table in the following order: (1) node patterns; (2) attribute patterns; and (3) link patterns.

Pattern PCDATA book booktitle article title contactauthors monograph editor author name firstname 1astname affiliation contactauthors.authorIDs editor.name author.id PCDATA.value book→booktitle $book \rightarrow author$ book-editor booktitle-PCDATA article→title article→author article-affiliation article-contactauthors title--->PCDATA monograph-title

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monograph-author monograph-editor editor-book editor-monograph $author \rightarrow name$ name→firstname $name \rightarrow lastname$ $\mathtt{firstname} {\rightarrow} \mathtt{PCDATA}$ $lastname \rightarrow PCDATA$ $affiliation \rightarrow PCDATA$ affiliation→book affiliation-booktitle affiliation-article affiliation-title affiliation-contactauthors affiliation-monograph affiliation→editor affiliation-author affiliation-name affiliation-firstname affiliation-)lastname affiliation-affiliation

[00209] When a link is encountered, three possible cases result. First, the foreign key in one table can be updated with the key value in another table. Second, if there is a group in this link, then a new tuple is created in the group table as well as the corresponding foreign keys are updated. Third, if the child node is inlined in the parent node, then all of the attributes of the child table are copied into the parent table. The details of how to generate those actions are discussed below.

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Pattern	Actions			
Node: T	create(T)			
Attribute:T.A	update(T.A)			
	decompose decompose(T.value), assign(T_A.parent.T_iid,			
Link: A→B	T.iid))			
	assign(A.iid, B.iid)			
	(create(G), assign(A.G_iid, G.iid), assign(G.B_iid, B.iid)			
	(create(G), assign(A.G_iid, G.iid), assign(B.parent_G_iid,			
	G.iid)			
	(create(G), assign(G.parent A iid, A.iid), assign(G.B_iid,			
	B.iid)			
	(create(G), assign(G.parent_A_iid, A.iid),			
	assign(B.parent G iid, G.iid)			
	assign(A.attribute, B.attribute)			

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[00222] By way of summary, the pattern mapping tables 36 are initialized by putting the generated pattern and the corresponding actions together. For all of the node patterns, e.g., T, put action create(T). For all of the attribute patterns, e.g., T.A, put action update(T.A). For the link pattern, e.g., A—B, there are different cases. If the link pattern is not related to a group, then based on the mapping rule, if the relationship is one-to-one, then put assign(A.B_iid, B.iid), if the relationship is one-to-many, then put assign(B.parent_A_iid, A.iid). If the link pattern is related to a group G, then put G first, then handle the relationship between A—G and G—B separately as described before.

[00228] The pattern mapping table 36 generated from the metadata described in the example follows:

Pattern	Actions
PCDATA	create(PCDATA)
book	create(book)
booktitle	create(booktitle)
article	create(article)
title	create(title)
contactauthors	create(contactauthors)
monograph	create(monograph)
editor	create(editor)
author	create(author)
name	create(name)
firstname	create(firstname)
lastname	create(lastname)
affiliation	create(affiliation)
contactauthors.authorIDS	update(contactauthor.authorIDs)
editor.name	update(editor.name)
author.id	update(author.id)
PCDATA.value	update(PCDATA.value)
book→booktitle	assign(book.booktitle_iid, booktitle.iid)
book→author	create(G1), assign(book.G1_iid, G1.iid),
	assign(author.parent_G1_iid = G1.iid)
book-→editor	<pre>create(G1), assign(book.G1_iid, G1.iid),</pre>
	assign(G1.editor.iid, editor.iid)
booktitle→PCDATA	assign(booktitle.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid)
article→title	assign(article.title_iid, title.iid)
article→author	<pre>create(G2), assign(G2.parent_article_iid,</pre>
	article.iid), assign(G2.author_iid, author.iid)
article→affiliation	<pre>create(G2), assign(G2.parent_article_iid,</pre>
	article.iid), assign(G2.affiliation_iid,
	affiliation.iid)

title-PCDATA

editor-book

author-name

name-firstname

firstname-PCDATA

affiliation→book

affiliation-PCDATA

affiliation-booktitle

affiliation-article

affiliation-firstname

affiliation→

contactauthors

lastname→PCDATA

name-lastname

monograph-title

monograph-author

monograph-editor

editor→monograph

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article→contactauthors

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assign(article.contactauthors_iid, contactauthors.iid) assign(title.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid) assign(monograph.title_iid, title.iid)

assign(monograph.author_iid, author.iid) assign(monograph.editor_iid, editor.iid)

create(G3), assign(G3.parent_editor_iid, editor.iid), assign(G3.book_iid, book.iid) create(G3), assign(G3.parent_editor_iid,

editor.iid) assign(G3.monograph_iid, monograph.iid)

assign(author.name_iid, name.iid)

assign(name.firstname_iid, firstname.iid) assign(name.lastname_iid, lastname.iid) assign(firstname.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid)

assign(lastname.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid)

create(AG), assign(A.G.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.book_iid, book.iid) create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid,

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.booktitle_iid,

booktitle.iid) create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid,

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.article_iid,

article.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation-title

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.title_iid, title.iid) create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.contactauthors_iid,

contactauthors.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation→monograph

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.monograph_iid,

monograph.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation-editor

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.editor_iid, editor.iid) affiliation-author

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid,

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.author_iid, author.iid) affiliation-name

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.name_iid, name.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.firstname_iid,

firstname.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation→lastname

affiliation.iid), assign(AG.lastname_iid,

lastname.iid)

create(AG), assign(AG.parent_affiliation_iid, affiliation-affiliation affiliation.iid), assign(AG.affiliation_iid,

affiliation.iid)

[00229] Then, the following pattern-mapping table results:

Pattern	Actions
PCDATA	create(PCDATA)

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book	create(book)
booktitle	create(booktitle)
article	create(article)
title	create(title) create(contactauthors)
contactauthors monograph	create(monograph)
editor	create(monograph)
author	create(author)
name	create(name)
firstname	create(firstname)
lastname	create(lastname)
affiliation	create(affiliation)
contactauthors.authorIDS	decompose(contactauthors_authorIDs.value),
	assign(contactauthors_authorIDs.parent
	contactauthors_iid, contactauthors.iid)
editor.name	update(editor.name)
author.id	update(author.id)
PCDATA.value	update(PCDATA.value)
book→booktitle	assign(book.booktitle_iid, booktitle.iid)
book-author	create(G1), assign(book.G1_iid, G1.iid),
	assign(author.parent_G1_iid = G1.iid)
book-editor	<pre>create(G1), assign(book.G1_iid, G1.iid),</pre>
	assign(G1.editor.iid, editor.iid)
booktitle→PCDATA	assign(booktitle.PCDATA_value, PCDATA.value)
article→title	assign(article.title, title.PDATA_value)
article→author	create(G2), assign(G2.parent_article_iid,
	article.iid), assign(G2.author_iid, author.iid)
article→affiliation	create(G2), assign(G2.parent_article_iid,
	article.iid), assign(G2.affiliation_iid,
	affiliation.iid)
article→contactauthors	assign(article.contactauthors_iid,
	contactauthors.iid) assign(title.PCDATA_value, PCDATA.value)
title→PCDATA	
monograph-title	assign(monograph.title, title.PCDATA_value)
monograph→author	assign(monograph.author_iid, author.iid)
monograph-editor	assign(monograph.editor_iid, editor.iid)
editor→book	create(G3), assign(G3.parent_editor_iid,
	editor.iid), assign(G3.book_iid, book.iid)
editor-monograph	create(G3), assign(G3.parent_editor_iid,
	editor.iid) assign(G3.monograph_iid, monograph.iid)
author-name	assign(author.name_firstname, name.firstname),
	assign(author.name_lastname, name.lastname) assign(name.firstname, firstname.PCDATA_value)
name-firstname	_
name→lastname	assign(name.lastname, lastname.PCDATA_value)
firstname→PCDATA	assign(firstname.PCDATA_value, PCDATA.value)
lastname->PCDATA	assign(lastname.PCDATA_value, PCDATA.value)
affiliation->PCDATA	create(AG), assign(A.G.parent_affiliation_iid,
	affiliation.iid), assign(AG.PCDATA_iid, PCDATA.iid)
affiliation-book	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid,
	affiliation.iid), assign(AG.book_iid, book.iid)
affiliation-booktitle	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid,
1	affiliation.iid), assign(AG.booktitle_iid,
1	booktitle.iid)

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affiliation-article	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.article_iid, article.iid)</pre>
affiliation-title	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.title_iid, title.iid)
affiliation→ contactauthors	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.contactauthors_iid, contactauthors.iid)</pre>
affiliation-monograph	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.monograph_iid, monograph.iid)</pre>
affiliation-editor	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.editor_iid, editor.iid)
affiliation-author	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.author_iid, author.iid)</pre>
affiliation→name	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.name_firstname, name.firstname), assign (AG.name_lastname, name.lastname)</pre>
affiliation→firstname	<pre>create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.firstname, firstname.PCDATA-value)</pre>
affiliation→lastname	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.lastname, lastname.PCDATA value)
affiliation→affiliation	create(AG), assign(AG.parent affiliation iid, affiliation.iid), assign(AG.affiliation_iid, affiliation.iid)

[00241] It should be noted that, because the elements of the data are the basic units in the XML document 12, the system 10 should still store the data of the corresponding elements into their tables during the loading process. However, in the case of inline attributes, if the element is in-lined into an attribute, then the table of that element is no longer used after the loading. Therefore, those unused tables could be deleted after loading the data. The following table shows the result of the data loading in the relational tables:

article

iid	Order	title	contactauthor.idd	
1	1	XML Relation Mapping	1	

contactauthors

iid	Order
1	28

author

iid	order	id	name_firstname	name_lastname	parent_GI_idd
1	4	ХZ	Xin	Zhang	
2	12	gm	Gail	Mitchell	

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iid	parent_article.iid	author.idd	affiliation.idd
1	1	1	1
2	1	2	2
3	1	3	3

contactauthors.authorIDS

iid	Value	Parent_contactauthors_idd
1	XZ	1
2	gm	1
3	wl	1

affiliation

iid	Order
1	10
2	18
3	26

AG

idd	PCDATA. value	book- title	title	first- name	last- name	name. first
1						-name
1 ·	Department 2280					i
2	Verizon 02451					
3	Verizon 02451			_		

AG (continued)

AG (CON	tinuea)					
name. last- name	parent_ affilia- tion.idd	book .idd .idd	contact- authors .idd	mono- graph .idd	editor .idd	author .idd
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